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Wilbur Emery
Meredith, N. H. Dec 15, 1914

Meredith

Mrs. S. M. Bates and Lewis Moulton are assisting at the P. O. during the Christmas rush.

Deputy Sheriff A. M. Morrison, a cousin of Mrs. E. S. Gordon, John H. and Albert Morrison of Meredith recently suffered the amputation of one leg, but this fact has not dampened his ardor as a hunter; recently while at his farm at Barre, Vt. a buck stole silently out of the woods and began browsing on some frozen apples in the orchard, but so soon could have made better time in securing a gun and with a single shot brought the buck which was a fine specimen to the ground.

Arthur E. Gay of Fashua was called to Meredith last week by the death of his sister, Mrs. Mary Hartshorn.

Tenement to let of 5 rooms with bath closet, apply to O. S. Piper, Plymouth at Meredith 2-3 * adv.

Card of Thanks

The undersigned wish to express their sincere thanks for the kindness of the many neighbors and friends during the illness and at the time of the death of our beloved mother and especially we wish to thank any and all for the many beautiful floral offerings.

Frank L. Hartshorn
Clara E. Hartshorn

Speaking of Doll's-Dolls-Dolls, we lead them all on a "show down" and low prices come in-Morrison, adv.

East Moultonboro

Mrs. James Berry and Mrs. Clarence Berry attended the State Grange at Laconia last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Piper of Wolfboro were at his sister's, Mrs. Daniel Dodge last week.

Wanted-Girl for general house work, no washing Mrs. J. F. Estes adv.

Meredith Center

Frank C. Dow has returned from Worcester, after a 10 days absence.

Mr. and Mrs. August Severson are happy over a brand new baby boy, recent arrival. Congratulations

Rev. O. H. Tracy preached a fine Christmas sermon at the Free Baptist church Sunday morning to an appreciative audience

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cariveau are happy over a fine baby girl born Sunday night, Dec. 20, congratulations

Mrs. Belle C. Breed will observe Christmas at the Channing school Thursday afternoon, Dec. 24 and parents, neighbors and friends are most cordially invited

The Wicwas Lake Grange will hold its regular meeting, Friday evening Dec. 25. All members are requested to make an effort to be present as an important business is to come before said meeting.

Quite a large number of the grange members attended the State Grange at Laconia last week.

Miss Evelyn M. Plummer is in Lakeport visiting friends.

The following officers in Wicwas Lake Grange were elected at the last regular meeting, Monday, Dec. 14, 1914. Officers: Leroy D. Colby, Lecturer, Mrs. Belle C. Breed, Steward, Elmer Sanborn, Asst. Steward, John Nadeau, Chaplain, Charles Fickering, Treasurer, Mrs. Alfred A. Colby, Secretary, Mrs. Eva M. Brown, Gate Keeper, W. Leonard McEllen, Ceres, Emma Nadeau, Pomona, Ruth P. Osmond, Flora, Ruth E. Breed, Lady Steward, Eleanor Blake

Henry Wallace and family have moved into the Café house so called recently purchased by Nett B. Boynton. Mr. Wallace recently came from New Hampton and will work for Mr. Boynton.

Mrs. Frank A. Shaw has been quite seriously ill with a severe cold but is now somewhat improved

Arthur A. Smith and sister, Miss Lettie M. Smith have been entertaining a cousin, Mrs. Merrill from Meredith

There will be a Christmas tree entertainment at the Free Baptist church Sunday evening, Dec. 24. A good time is promised and we hope the attendance will be large

Any where you please, but in Justice to your self see out Christmas display before purchasing anywhere Morrison's adv.

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MEREDITH

Some of the public spirited citizens are making efforts through the Boston office of the Boston and Maine to have the midnight express popularly known as the Shoo-Fly stop here on occasions.

Bill Foye the former Meredith shoe man sends to the News from Phoenixhurst N. C. an interesting magazine called "The Phoenix Outlook"

The interior of the new school house will be finished in about two weeks.

Many of the ice skaters whose fun has been stopped by the snow, want the snow near the Moses estate flooded for skating.

Mr. James Hartigan the old time minstrel is planning a surprise for the young people in the entertainment line

Local snow shoe enthusiasts are preparing for their first sport of the season in the present gloomy fall of snow.

L. G. Pynn is to take in the N. Y. Auto Show January 2nd, to 9th, as usual this year.

Meredith's first "hook night" is promised for New Year's eve at the town hall. Amateurs will appear and the hook will be given to those who fail to come up to the mark. If you want to laugh don't fail to go to the town hall on hook night. Mr. Hartwell MacLeas one of Meredith's families is on the committee to keep things moving.

First Selectman Neal took a large number of cattle to market Monday afternoon.

The newly formed Young Men's Association, with C. J. Lane as President and Assistant Postmaster; Charles Raymond as Secretary and Treasurer will occupy the old base shop building formerly used by Duns Copp and Company

There is talk of another theatrical party to the new Colonial Theatre, at Laconia on the evening of January 15

Daniel Dion, Boston and Maine telegrapher and Assistant to the Western Union at Meredith visited in Laconia one day last week.

Geo. Gould has laid a new floor in the office of his hotel.

Elaborate plans are being made by the members of the Meredith Women's Club for its annual "guest night" which will be held at the Meredith Town Hall next month. Already different committees assigned the affair have had several meetings and hard work is being put in. It is expected that the evening will surpass the attempts of all other years.

Miss Ruth Budge has been visiting Mrs. Harry Durant a summer resident at her New York home, and is now in Washington.

The Misses Smith and McCarthy of the Meredith teaching force are in Boston for the holidays.

Fred Davis has gone to New Brunswick for the winter.

The schools closed on Friday night for the Christmas vacation of two weeks.

Miss Velma Reynolds, Miss Stella Paul and Miss Beatrice Blackwell are enjoying their Christmas vacation at their homes.

John O. Reynolds and family will spend Christmas with Charles Lee and family of Lakeport

Mrs. Eliza Kelly enjoyed the attraction at the Premier with her sister, Mrs. Harry Durant and Mrs. Mitchell on Dec. 19, Mrs. Kelly having reached her 55th birthday on that date

John J. Fowler of the U. S. Battle Ship Georgia has been passing his 30 days furlough with his sons at Mrs. Georgia Hartley's

Christmas-New Years and Birthday Cards and all one cent each adv.

For Sale-A fine upright piano, Used very little. Address Box 118 Meredith N. H.

Our Space ad in upper right hand Corner-Don't heed its merits, unless you wish to save money on your Christmas purchases, Morrison's adv

If you "Can't Find" what you want "anywhere in town" call on us and get it, Morrison's, adv.

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MEREDITH

Wilbur Emery and wife were called to Sandwich on Tuesday by the death of Mrs. Emery's grand-mother, Mrs. Sarah Blanchard of that place

A Christmas Tree will be held at the Laneside Retreat Lodge on Friday evening at the close of the regular lodge meeting

Mrs. W. W. Hallard started for Boston on Tuesday where she will be joined by her daughter, Alice Hallard of Swampscott, together they will go to Philadelphia and spend the Christmas holidays as guests of Mrs. Joseph Greer, a Summer resident of Meredith

About 12 inches of snow fell on Monday and in a few days the weather is expected to be excellent if the temperature remains fairly cold, at present it is good

Forty sacks of mail were received on Monday and thirty-five sacks were sent away from Meredith Post Office

George James is working for the American Express Company during the Xmas holidays

Ralph Piper has opened a neat and attractive boot and shoe store in the house of C. C. Blackford on Main at which a new plate glass show window has been added

The next regular meeting of Chorus Lodge A F and A M will be held on Wednesday evening, Dec 30

The funeral of Mrs. Mary E. Hartshorn was held at the North Church on Saturday afternoon when the relatives and friends of the deceased gathered to pay the last and rites to one who had been a long and highly respected resident of Meredith; Mrs. Hartshorn was a member of the North Church being cherished and honored by all as a woman of high ideals, and of a great christian character; and will be greatly missed by the elderly people of the village and especially so by the son with whom she made her home

The ladies of the Federated churches held an entertainment and sale at the Grange hall on Wednesday evening which was largely attended. Songs, Recitations, a playlet by the children and a farce "Not a Man in the House" was given by local talent. The ladies who earned a dollar related the hardships and experiences through which they passed in accomplishing that feat, some being extremely amusing. Ice cream fancy work and candy were on sale. The ladies realized a neat sum from the sale

Mrs. Herbert Williams of Cornish Flat visited Mrs. A. L. Grange and family at the past week and together they attended the State Grange at Laconia

The pupils of the first and second grades had a very enjoyable time at their Christmas Tree, Friday, Dec 18 at the Free Will Baptist Vestry. Among the many gifts were six bags of candy, one for each pupil and a fine box of chocolates for the teacher Miss Lincoln, presented by A. Moscardini

Ruth E. Clough, who is attending the Plymouth Normal School, is spending her Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clough. Frances Moulton, who attends P. O. Seminary, is home for the holidays

Walter Payson, a former resident of Meredith has entered the employ of Leonard Bryant as baker

Mrs. Willie Kelly returned recently after several months spent at her home in New Brunswick

A meeting of the Meredith Improvement Association was held at the North church chapel Monday evening and the work of the organization discussed. Special consideration was given the project of the Young Men's Association Headquarters and it is proposed to use, temporarily at least, the whole lower floor of the main part of the Corporation Building recently completed by Mr. C. J. Lane. Headquarters will be the place with some gymnastic apparatus, a few interesting games and reading matter. The scope of the work is larger than at first appears as certain educational opportunities will be presented then. It is expected that as a result of this winter's activities, a permanent housing of this social work will be provided later

The committee appointed to carry out the ideas of the association is Bradley Drabster, Rev. E. L. Converse, Rev. E. T. Blake, N. B. Sanborn, J. F. Beede

All persons desiring to contribute to the fund of this work will communicate with J. F. Beede, D. A. Ambrose and G. J. Lane

44 young men were present Friday evening last at a meeting of the Young Men's Association of Meredith a constitution was adopted and the following officers elected

President, O. J. Lane; vice president, D. A. Ambrose; secretary and treasurer, Charles Raymond

An entertainment committee was appointed to prepare for the big amateur show to be held Friday, Jan. 1, 1915 at the town hall. The opening of the show will be a minstrel with special features

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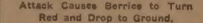
The last forms of the News goes to press on Tuesday afternoon. Copy for all news, ads, etc. must in by 6 p. m. on MONDAY. On account of increased patronage of the job dept. we must live up to this rule

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NEWS and GOSSIP of WASHINGTON

DAMAGE BY CURRANT MAGGOT



(By C. P. GILLETTE, Colorado Experiment Station.)

Perhaps the worst pest to the currant and gooseberry is the maggot that gets into the fruit before the berries are ripe, causing them to turn red and drop. The adult insect is a fly, but the size of an ordinary house fly, but a light yellowish brown in color with dusky bands crossing its wings. This fly deposits its eggs, one in a place, just beneath the skin of the currant and gooseberries, which upon hatching develop into the maggot. The fruit drops to the ground and the maggot escapes and burrows a little beneath the surface of the soil and remains until the next spring.

We do not know any remedy as yet.



in the older stages of their development. Spading the soil around the bushes so that the surface soil will be covered with four or five inches of fresh dirt will also destroy a great many of the insects. Whatever can be done toward gathering the insects

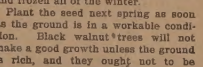
ed fruit and destroying it will also lessen the number of flies to destroy berries the following spring.

PLANTING THE WALNUT TREE

Prepare Soil Carefully and Plant Nuts
Three Feet Apart in Furrows—
Carefully Groomed

Black walnut seeds are to be gathered in the fall, and the nuts carefully stratified. The nuts are not to be hulled even when the seed is

Gather the nuts, and alternate a layer of them with a layer of sand and leaves. Moisten the pile, and allow it to freeze. Let it remain moist and frozen all of the winter.



lanted on any other kind. Prepare the land carefully and plant the nuts three feet apart in furrows ten feet apart. Plant the nuts four inches deep. As the black walnut is very sensitive to dry, parched conditions, it is necessary to give the trees good cultivation, and carefully conserve the moisture.

PAYINGS OF PROF. HEDRICK

Professor Hedrick of the New York
state experiment station at Geneva
has kept careful account of the cost
of growing apples, and of the profits